GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1055
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SC/ST MPS CONVENTION
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Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether SC/ST MPs Convention during December,1999 invited attention of the Government towards non-representation of SCs and STs in the higher rungs of the administration/bureaucratic set up and sought inclusion of one SC/ST member on all the Selection Committees/Boards` which undertake searching, short-listing, recommending, empanelling, selecting and recruiting process of persons for the posts at the level of `Board of Directors`, Managing Directors/Chairman of Public Sector Enterprises, Statutory/ Autonomous Organizatrions, corporations and other senior posts/positions at the level of Joint Secretary to Central Government and above;

(b) if so, the details of structural/constitutional changes brought about in the existing instructions/systems regarding composition of the said Selection Board/Committees for facilitating inclusion of SC/ST persons on them;

(c) the number of persons appointed to the said posts during the last five years; and

(d) the number of SCs/STs among them and their percentage at present?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL (SHRI BRAJA KISHORE TRIPATHY)

(a)to(d): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha.